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FOREIGN AND INSULAR.

BRAZIL.

Report from Bahia—Mortuary statistics.

Consul Furniss reports, July 20, as follows: During the week ended July 18, 1903, 84 bodies were interred in the Bahia cemeteries.

The causes given for interment were as follows: Alcoholism 1, arterio sclerosis 5, asphyxia 1, beriberi 5, bronchitis 1, cancer 1, cerebral congestion 1, cirrhosis of liver 2, aortic dilatation 2, erysipelas 1, organic diseases of heart 4, Bright's disease 2, stillborn 6, nephritis 3, pneumonia 1, syncope 1, tetanus neonatorum 2, pulmonary tuberculosis 7, diarrhea and enteritis 12, senile debility 4, malarial fevers 9, other causes 13.

BRITISH HONDURAS.

Report from Belize, fruit port.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Carson reports as follows: Week ended August 2, 1903. Present officially estimated population, 8,500; number of deaths, 6; prevailing disease, mild type of malarial fever; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, fairly good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Name of vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
July 30	Richard A. Bingham.....	6	0	0	0
30	Banan.....	18	0	0	0
31	Anselm.....	42	9	18	18

CANADA.

Inspection of immigrants at Quebec.

Assistant Surgeon Billings reports, August 12, as follows: Week ended August 8, 1903. Number of immigrants inspected, 234; passed, 226; detained, 8.

CHINA.

Reports from Hongkong—Plague and smallpox.

Passed Assistant Surgeon McMullen reports, July 3, as follows: During the week ended June 27, 1903, 11 vessels, 766 crew and 356 passengers—151 cabin and 205 steerage—were inspected; 569 crew